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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Large Entity)**

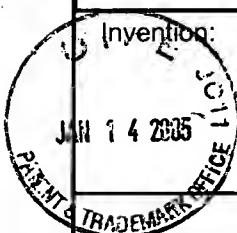
Docket No.  
**RLL-193US**

In Re Application Of: **ANAND et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/998,115	11/30/2001	Emily B. Bernhardt	26815	1624	

Invention:

**PROCESSES FOR THE SYNTHESIS OF 1,4-DISUBSTITUTED PIPERAZINE DERIVATIVES USEFUL  
AS URO-SELECTIVE ALPHA1-ADRENOCEPTOR BLOCKERS**



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 08/11/2004 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: November 11, 2004    until: January 11, 2004  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$450** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-0912**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-0912**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

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Signature

Dated: **January 11, 2005**

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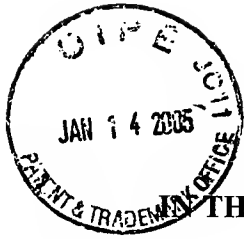
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Applicant: ANAND *et al.*

Examiner: Emily Bernhardt

Application No.: 09/998,115

Group Art Unit: 1624

Filing Date: November 30, 2001

For: 1,4-DISUBSTITUTED PIPERAZINE DERIVATIVES USEFUL AS URO-SELECTIVE  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED**  
**AUGUST 11, 2004**

**Amendment to the Claims** begin at page 2 of this Amendment and Response.

**Remarks** begin at page 7 of this Amendment and Response.